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Federal Land Bank Workers Plan Meeting

James S. Pridden Jr., Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Enterprise, Alabama, announced today that a statewide conference of Federal Land Bank association employees and Land Bank personnel domiciled in Alabama will be held on May 3 and 4, 1971. The conference will be held in Montgomery. Employees of the Enterprise office who will attend this meeting are James S. Pridden, Jr., Co-Manager J. Coker, Ruth A. McDuffie and Mary I. Wallace.

Pridden stated that this year's conference will be devoted to ways and means for the Federal Land Bank to continue to provide sound agriculture credit to farmers in this district.

Olin B. Quinn, President of the Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, will be the keynote speaker. He will discuss the proposed legislation, review the Bank's growth and operations, discuss money cost and outlook as well as give a report on accomplishments during the past year.

Warner L. Bruner, Jr., Vice President of the Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, will preside over the conference. Other officers from the New Orleans Bank will appear on the program to give reports and discuss credit policies, personnel matters, appraisals, loan making and servicing loans.

"Since the Land Bank supplies about one-fourth of the farm mortgage credit in this district," Pridden said, "and since our only purpose is to serve the local farmer, we feel that it is our responsibility to keep abreast of changes and needs in order to carry out our activities as profitably as possible."

The Federal Land Bank Association of Enterprise serves farmers in Coffee, Covington, Crenshaw, Geneva and Pike Counties and has 1224 loans outstanding amounting to \$11,050,946.

Elba Merchants Plan Sidewalk Sale Saturday

The City of Elba has organized a May Day Sale-attraction for this Saturday. During the Sale-attraction, merchants will hold sidewalk sales and register shoppers for free prizes to be given away on Saturday afternoon.

Also on the agenda for the day is an art show and sale on the courthouse lawn with members of the

Boll Weevil Art League and other interested hobbyists displaying their handicrafts.

Social Security Office Urges Use Of Free Telephone
About 24,000 people in the six county area served by the Dothan Social Security District Office receive a social security check each month. Most of them find it necessary to contact the Dothan Office from time to time. They need to report a lost check, change of address, marriage, starting or stopping work, or death of beneficiary. Mr. B. W. Crosby, Acting Manager of the Dothan Office, pointed out today that most of social security business can be handled by telephone. This method makes it much easier for the elderly or disabled person.

Mr. Crosby said that anyone having social security business to include filing any claim for benefits can call the Dothan Office any day Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for assistance. If you live on the Clayton Highway, Exchange Road, Eufaula, call 687-3308. Residents of Coffee County simply need to ask the operator for WX-6200, a toll free call.

Harold DeVane To Conduct Revival At Ham Methodist Chapel
Revival services will be held at the Ham United Methodist Church on the Grandview Highway beginning Sunday, May 9th and continuing through Wednesday, May 12th. The services will be held each evening at 7:00 p.m.

The evangelist will be the Reverend Harold M. DeVane, pastor of the Eufaula United Methodist Church. Mr. DeVane is a native of Elba and is the son of Mrs. Gus DeVane. He is married to the former Jo Ann Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Fuller. They have two daughters, Sherry and Leigh. Mr. DeVane graduated from Troy State University. He has served a number of pastorates in the Alabama West Florida Conference including Shady Grove, Andalusia, West End, Fairview, Montgomery, Mt. Carmel and Eufaula.

The singing will be under the direction of Mr. Bill Faulk accompanied by Mrs. Kenneth Baker, pianist.

On Wednesday, May 12th from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. the church will celebrate the fourteenth anniversary of the present building. Friends are being invited to come during that hour and remain for the evening service. Refreshments will be served as you have fellowship.

The Reverend Edwin R. Sells is pastor of the Church.

Arts Council Concert Not To Be Held Here
The Southeast Alabama Arts Association presentation of a String Quartet which was scheduled for Elba tonight (Thursday) at the high school has been canceled due to conflicts. The String Quartet from the University of South Alabama will hold its scheduled performance in Geneva on Friday night of this week at 8 p.m. The Geneva appearance will be at the James A. Mulkey Elementary School.

Local Banks To Receive POW-MIA Contributions
Contributions to the fund drive to send wives and parents of Alabama POW-MIA to the International Committee Red Cross meeting in Geneva, Switzerland, may be deposited at The Elba Exchange Bank or The Peoples Bank.

Elba Students List Issues Of Importance
The 8th grade social studies class at Elba High School was asked to list the 10 most pressing problems facing America today in order of importance. These problems were compiled and resulted in the following order:

1. Vietnam
2. Pollution
3. Drug Abuse
4. Hunger and Poverty
5. Crime
6. Communism
7. Inflation
8. Race Relations
9. Over-population
10. Parental Problems

11. Saving Animals
12. Oil Spills
13. Hijacking
14. Pay Rates
15. Schools
16. Sonic Booms
17. Liter
18. Over emphasizing news media
19. Shootings
20. Rulings of countries

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Elba 4-H Club takes top spots in the 4-H Club Speaking Program. Melanie Garmley and Phillip Morrow were first place winners in the Senior Division. Kenneth Bryan was first place in Junior Boy's Division. New Brockton's 4-H'ers Jennifer Nolin took first place in Junior Girl's Division.

Thirty-six speeches were given on the County level by 4-H'ers from six different schools over the county. The total of 90 boys and girls participated in the Speaking Program on the club level.

Awards presented in the program were second place Eva Sherman, Zion Chapel and Teresa Hines from Dauphin Street Junior High School took second and third place respectively in senior division. Second and third place in Senior Boy's Division went to Carl Sanders, New Hope and Donnie Jones, Dauphin Street Junior High School. Lia Lowery, New Hope, was second and Susan Wallace, Lantier High School, took third place in Junior Girls Division. Jerry Downey and Tim Sanders from New Hope took second and third place in Junior Boys.

The senior winners will represent Coffee County in the District 4-H Public Speaking Awards Program held in Auburn in July.

The county 4-H Speaking program was sponsored by: Covington Electric Cooperative, Federal Land Bank Association, 4-H Club Council, Ozark Production Credit Association, South Alabama Electric Cooperative and Wiregrass Electric Cooperative.

Railroad Is In Area Conducting Workshops
Information concerning emergency action for handling dangerous materials has been distributed to civil defense, city governments and fire chiefs at various cities in the Southeast by Seaboard Coast Line Railroad.

The railroad has also organized an especially trained mobile "Go-Go" made available as a public service for local authorities who occasionally must take emergency action if faced with problems involving unusual inflammable materials, explosives or chemicals.

It describes methods for combating various types of fires, neutralizing chemicals, and recommending practices for handling spills involving explosives or other dangerous articles.

Elba Students Tour Of Europe
Mary Ann Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Turner, Route 4, Elba, is leaving April 28 for a 5-week tour in Europe.

She will visit Dr. Dodson Creighton in Geneva, Switzerland, then travel with friends to Germany, Austria, Yugoslavia, Greece, Italy, France, Spain and England.

Miss Turner Is On 5 Week Tour Of Europe
Miss Deborah Hocutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hocutt, Elba, Alabama has been awarded a George C. Wallace Academic Scholarship at Troy State University for the 1970-71 academic year.

This scholarship was awarded on the basis of Miss Hocutt's outstanding academic ability.

At Troy State University Miss Hocutt plans to major in English and minor in journalism. "We are proud to offer this scholarship to such a fine young lady," stated Jeff Golden, Director of Financial Aid at Troy State University.

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ANN MARTIN, right and Eddie Stephens, left, will represent Coffee County in the 4-H District Electrical Demonstration. Ann and Eddie took first place honors in the County Electrical Demonstration. Ann is a member of the Elba Action 4-H Club and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard (Shorty) Martin. Eddie is a member of the Kinston 5th Grade 4-H Club and the son of Mrs. Rayford Stephens. These 4-H'ers will compete for District Honors at Auburn in mid-July.

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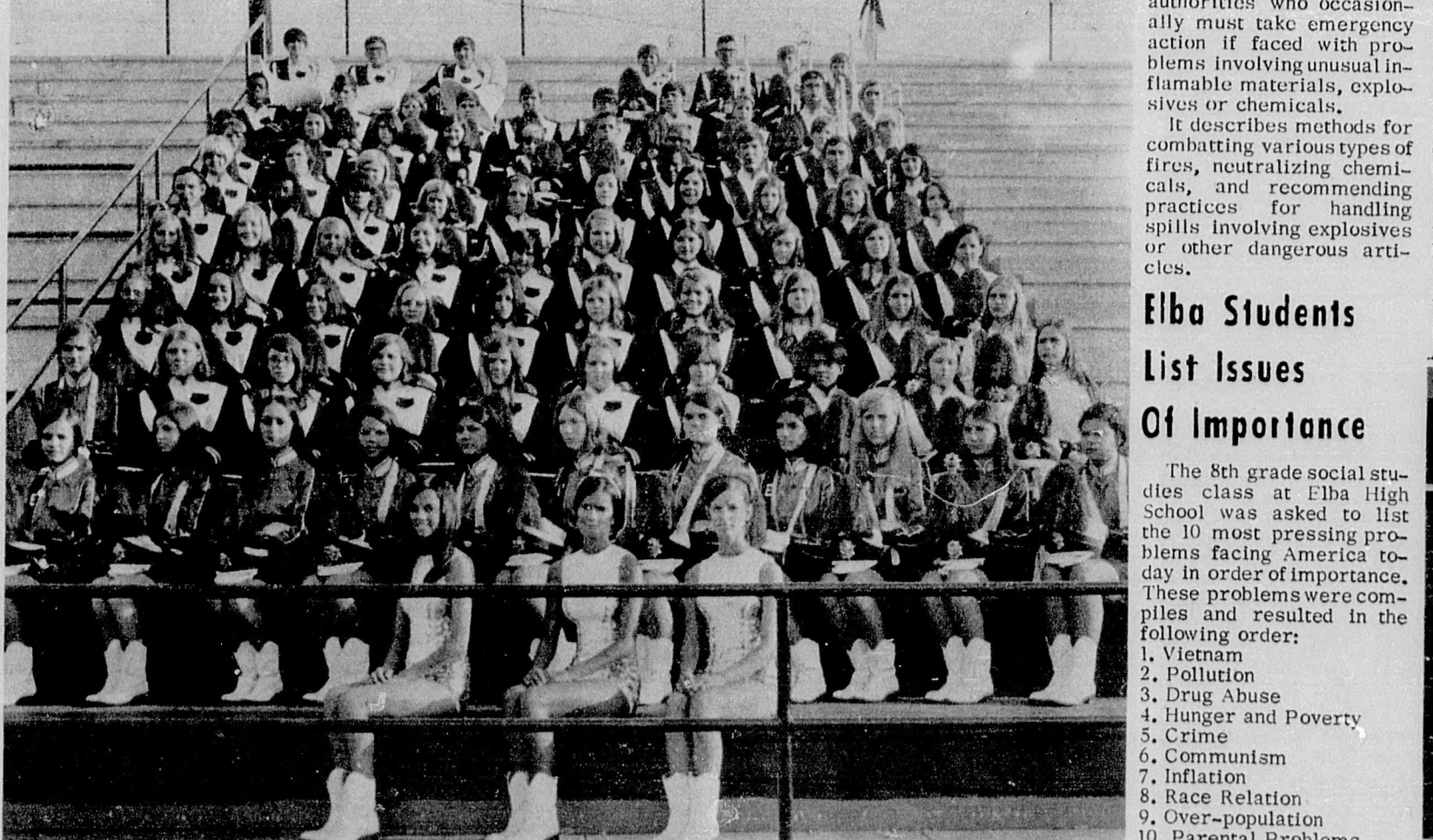
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LEGAL NOTICES

In The Matter Of The Last Will And Testament Of Alvie Lee McIntosh, Deceased.

You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of April, 1971, James L. Sawyer, as Judge of Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, appointed me as Executor of the estate of Alvie Lee McIntosh, deceased, and that you are required to file claim, if any you have, within the time required by law; otherwise, the same shall be barred.

Done this 23rd day of April, 1971.
Eunice Y. McIntosh
4/29/3rd.

NOTICE OF SALE
Johnnie B. Maddox and Basil Whitman, as Administrators of the Estate of Mrs. Ruth Harrison, deceased, Et Al, Complainants, Vs. Homer Harrison, Et Al, Respondents.
In The Circuit Court Of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division In Equity Case No. 1942.

In accordance with the Decree of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, in Equity, rendered in the above styled cause, said Decree being dated the 22nd day of April, 1971, the undersigned, Gladys Clark, as Registrar of said Court, will proceed to sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, between the legal hours of sale, before the Courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, on Monday, the 24th day of May, 1971, the following described real estate located in the County of Coffee, State of Alabama, to-wit:

The NE1/4 of the NW1/4, and the NW1/4 of the NE1/4, of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, containing 80 acres, more or less.

The SW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, Less and Except, 10 acres off of the East side of said forty and Less and Except, a parcel of land sold to State of Alabama for school purposes described as "Two acres, more or less, commencing in the Southwest corner of SW1/4 of NE1/4, Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 20, thence on landline running East 105 yards, thence North 105 yards, thence West 105 yards, thence South on landline to starting point 105 yards, making 105 yards in a square in the SW corner of SW1/4 of NE1/4 of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 20." The lands described hereinabove, contain in the aggregate, 108 acres, more or less.

There will first be offered for sale all merchantable timber and pulpwood, both pine and hardwood, of a size of six (6) inches



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The goal of U.S. cancer control is the yearly saving of 318,000 lives, or half of those who develop cancer each year.

Your dollars to the American Cancer Society can help save lives.

In diameter where cut, and larger, now standing and growing on the above described lands, on condition that the purchaser thereof shall have twelve (12) months from the date of delivery of a deed of conveyance, in which to cut and remove said timber from said land, and that the purchaser shall exercise reasonable care to preserve said land, and the young trees and other vegetation growing thereon. There will then be offered for sale the land, without the aforesaid timber, and reserving to the purchaser of the aforesaid timber the right to cut and remove the same on the terms and conditions aforesaid.

There will then be offered for sale the land, together with the timber standing thereon. The Registrar shall accept the offer, or combination of offers, which will produce the highest price for said land and timber.

Said sale is being made for the purpose of a division of the proceeds of said sale among the joint owners and tenants thereof.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 1971.
Gladys Clark,
Registrar
4/29/3rd.

Estate of John D. Thames Deceased
Probate Court
Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of May, 1971, by the Hon. James L. Sawyer, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, I hereby require to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Virgil L. T. Bryan
5/6/3rd.

Estate of Jerry Nathan Smith, Deceased
Probate Court Elba Division

Letters of Administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 4th day of May, 1971, by the Hon. James L. Sawyer, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, I hereby require that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

s/Corrude G. Smith
5/6/3rd.

Good Protection
To protect yourself and your family, the American Cancer Society urges an annual checkup and a check for the Cancer Crusade.

The American Cancer Society reminds you: "Help yourself with a checkup and others with a check."

The Test
Cancer researchers are seeking a universal blood test for the disease. Support them by giving to the American Cancer Society.

Help add to the 1,500,000 living Americans cured of cancer—give to the American Cancer Society.

April is Cancer Control Month. Cancer will strike in approximately two of three families. Help conquer cancer by supporting the American Cancer Society.

Everyone Benefits
Cancer strikes at any age. It affects children as well as adults. Support the American Cancer Society's programs of research, service, and education.

It's For All
The American Cancer Society reaches out to all citizens through all media to alert them to the vital facts of cancer. Support the American Cancer Society.

Believe It or Not!
SPEECHMAKER WITHOUT A VOICE
WILLIAM GARGAN IN 1960, WHILE PLAYING THE ROLE OF A PRESIDENT DYING OF CANCER IN THE BEST MAN, LEARNED HE HAD CANCER HIMSELF. HE HAD HIS LARYNX VOICE BOX REMOVED. UNKNOWINGLY, GARGAN LEARNED A NEW WAY OF TALKING WITHOUT SPEECHES. NOW HE CROSSES THE NATION MAKING SPEECHES TO AMERICANS 25,000 OTHER VOICELESS CANCER PATIENTS.

CANCER MYSTERY
CANCER RESEARCHERS ARE PROBING THE MYSTERY OF DNA IN THE HUMAN CELL. DNA IS THE STOREHOUSE OF HEREDITARY INFORMATION. IF COILED STRANDS OF DNA IN EACH CELL WERE UNWOUND EACH THREE MILES LONG. STRETCH 6 FEET. TEN BILLION MILES OF DNA IN AN ADULT!

PROGRESS
SINCE 1947, WHEN THE 1ST DRUG FOR ACUTE LEUKEMIA WAS FOUND, MORE THAN 200 CHILDREN HAVE LIVED 5 YEARS AFTER TREATMENT. 100 HAVE LIVED OVER 10. 2 SURVIVED 20. YET ACUTE LEUKEMIA HAS ALWAYS THOUGHT TO BE INCURABLE.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

Will Death Be His Only Freedom?
POW/MIA
prisoners of war missing in action

HELP SEND ALABAMA POW-MIA WIVES-PARENTS TO INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE RED CROSS MEETING IN GENEVA, SWITZERLAND IN MAY

EVERYONE-LEGION MEMBERS AND PATRIOTIC CITIZENS ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS MOST WORTHWHILE UNDERTAKING. Collect as much as each of you can and mail to:

The American Legion
Department Headquarters
Geneva Switzerland Conference
P. O. Box 1069
Montgomery, Alabama 36102

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The Pap test is a quick, simple, painless test for uterine cancer. The American Cancer Society says this early detection technique could help save your life.

The lung cancer death rate among men increased 15-fold in 35 years and the rate is going up among women. Lung cancer is largely preventable, says the American Cancer Society—just stop smoking.

Cancers of the mouth afflict some 14,000 Americans annually and kill about 7,000. Early detection and prompt treatment could cut the death toll, says the American Cancer Society.

A National Decline
Deaths from cancer of the uterus have declined about 50 percent in a generation. This is due in large part to early detection by the Pap test and prompt treatment, says the American Cancer Society.

Business Losses, Too
Cancer costs American business and industry valuable executives at the peak of their efficiency and trained workers.

Watch That Wart
An obvious change in a wart

Cancers of six sites—breast, colon-rectum, lung, oral cavity skin, and uterus—offer the greatest opportunities for saving lives. Preventive action, early diagnosis and prompt treatment are the life-saving keys, says the American Cancer Society.

Beware The Sun!
One way skin cancer can be avoided is by using caution in the sun. Use protective lotion, wear a hat or cover up, urges the American Cancer Society.

The rise in male cancer deaths is due largely to the rapidly increasing rate of lung cancer. Drop the cigarette habit urges the American Cancer Society.

The greatest progress in the treatment of breast cancer has come in recent decades. Surgery, radiation, hormone therapy, drug therapy, or combination of these methods are used successfully, according to the American Cancer Society.

Cancer of the colon and rectum strikes American men and women about equally and is

at the height of their productivity. The American Cancer Society urges annual health checkups for everyone.

More than 52-million Americans now living may eventually have cancer. One in three hit by cancer is now saved. This could be increased to one in two by early diagnosis and prompt treatment, according to the American Cancer Society.

Cancer of the larynx strikes more men than women. With early diagnosis and treatment the survival rate continues to improve, according to the American Cancer Society.

Beware The Quack
Beware of unfounded claims and unproven methods of cancer treatment, says the American Cancer Society. "Sure cures" and "remedies" for cancer may prevent or delay proper life-saving treatment.

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BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

We had all just begun to enjoy the spring weather when along comes this little cool spell to send many of us into their winter shells. The ones most up to the weather, noise, lack of noise, something like that never, but never, will a true fisherman admit that it is caused by his own shortcomings such as not chewing properly!

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EHS REPORT

BY JOHN O. WEST

No Oscar For The Teacher

The lights are bright. The audience is hushed. Millions of pairs of eyes watch intently. Millions of pairs of ears listen for the magic words that will make another movie star immortal—a member of the elite group who have each won a shining little statue called the Oscar. This gold figurine represents excellence in the field of movie entertainment—and the contest for the prize is an intense one. Nominees for the Oscar spend thousands of dollars advertising in show business publications—bragging to all the world of moviedom that they deserve this Oscar or that one.

Other areas of life have their awards for excellence too. Television has its Emmies; college football has its All-Americans and its Heisman Trophies; the political arena has an upward spiral of higher and higher positions all the way up to the Presidency. But who ever heard of an Oscar or an Emmy or an All-American Award being made to a teacher?

Of course, you might object that Oscar and Emmy awards are the prizes in a kind of popularity contest—

and who can be popular, drilling students in verb forms or pounding algebra rules into lazy heads? And we can't escape the fact that each teacher's audience is relatively small. Thirty or so students make up a class, while millions may see a movie, watch a television play, or follow a football team down the field to victory. A mighty small stage it is that the teacher performs on—but it is mighty just the same.

When a moon rocket blasts off from Cape Kennedy, sending millions of dollars worth of time and material into space, searching for the secrets of the universe, the teacher is an important work had to learn step by step, from one teacher after another, such basic things as—two plus two are four—for each ac-

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And yet there are no nationwide audiences eagerly awaiting the announcement of "best teacher" awards. No T.V. programs discuss the merits of the nominees, no full-page spreads fill the newspapers with the qualifications of your town's top teachers. Only rarely, by P.T.A. groups or dedications in school annuals is the teacher recognized publicly—despite the value of the teacher who puts all her skill and energy into her work.

No Oscars, no Emmies for teachers? No—there are no cold metal statues gathering dust on the mantle, but there are thousands of living and breathing boys and girls and men and women who are carrying forward the abilities and the ideals of each good teacher.

WHO...?

...parks their cycle in front of Babs Bruce's house.

...Beats his heels against his desk.

...misplaces her students on the window.

...Wants to be a basketball star.

...looks more like a Seminole everyday.

...wears a different wig everyday.

...lets her hair down once a week.

...are the Freshmen going to the prom.



Those Were The Good Ole Days

Class-Senior Favorite Teacher - Mrs. Butts

Favorite Car-Volkswagen

Favorite Town-Interlaken

Last week's picture was David White.

Congratulations!

Congratulations! To the Juniors and Seniors who participated in the annual play. We would like to say, "A job well done."

French Club Holds Monthly Meeting

The Elba French Club met April 27, 1971, in the auditorium at 8:00. Kathy Thomas called the meeting to order and the minutes were read and approved. Selections for Student of the Month were made and voted on. The nominees were as follows: 9th grade, Alice Brunson; 10th grade, Jimmy Bailey; 11th grade, Rhett Crook; and 12th grade, Terry Martin.

The French Club has purchased an air-conditioner for Mrs. Padgett's classroom. It will be installed today.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Princeton Students Publish Magazine

Shocked at the misinformation students and professors had about the business world, an 18-year-old Princeton freshman three years ago decided to publish a magazine "to explain business." He called it *Business Today*.

Today the magazine numbers 200,000 students and members of the "establishment" across the country as readers.

The 21-year-old publisher and founder, Jon Perel, says, "Kids are down on business because most of what they read presents the bad side of business. We're not trying to defend business ourselves, we're attempting to establish some kind of dialogue."

A regular feature is an insert, "A letter from a student to a businessman." Perel says that responses have been so gratifying and interesting that they will be published in book form later this year.



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

Monday morning April 26, the student body of Elba High School heard campaign speeches from each of the candidates running in the election for Student Council officers for the year 1971-72.

After the speeches the students returned to their homerooms to cast their ballots.

The results of the election were as follows: Joe



EHS Olympic Team

On Saturday April 17, Elaine Black, Darnet Lee, Mary Ann Lee, Patsy Qualls, Manuel Lee, Isaac Laster, Willie Flowers and M. J. Caldwell participated in the Special Olympics held at Troy State University. The students honored Elba High School by winning seven ribbons. They competed in the 50-yard dash, the 300-yard run, the 800-yard run, the broad jump and the softball throw.

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REMEMBER WHEN

30 Years Ago

The Elba Clipper... May 6, 1941

All of Mrs. J. M. Folson's children and grandchildren assembled at her home in West Elba and spent the week end with her.

Opening Elba Pool—Saturday, May 10, Free swimming, Friday May 9, 3 to 7 p. m. Learn to Swim Campaign, every morning from 9 to 10 o'clock, May 26 through June 6, under supervision of Miss Eunice Graham.

Elba's two heaviest men, Ben F. Conner and Henry Clark made a business trip to Geneva Monday. Their aggregate weight is approximately 700 pounds.

Committee Chairman Mrs. Levy Morrow announces that a clinic for children who will enter school for the first time next fall, will be held Monday, May 12, at the Vocational Building in Elba, from 9 to 12 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

On Thursday, May 1st, Mrs. Maxwell Reeves of Melrose, Florida, honored her husband, Sgt. Maxwell Reeves of Camp Handing, Florida, with a big birthday dinner at the Lee Hotel.

The Elba Theatre... Thursday -- Last Day "Adam Had Four Sons"... Friday -- Double Feature "Dr. Killdare's Crisis" plus Western.

20 Years Ago

The Elba Clipper... May 3, 1951

The Community Wash Center located in West Elba and operated by Mrs. Herbert Morrow, has recently installed five new Maytag washers and a dryer to take care of their clientele.

Emergency Aid Insurance Company this week completed installation of a tabulating machine. "That will do everything but walk upstairs and install itself in a room," Ross Clark president of the company announced.

Dianne Perry and Nell Spurlin will be crowned King and Queen of the Elba Elementary Schools Friday evening at the close of the May Festival activities.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dunaway of Elba announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Frances to Rev. Roy Gamblin.

Mrs. Sam Blue announces the engagement of her daughter Peggy to James DeVane, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. DeVane.

Dr. C. P. Hayes, who had his office over Bonneau-Jeter Hardware for many years, has moved to the corner of Davis and Claxton streets.

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Elba General Hospital Patients

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of March 27 through May 4 were the following:

James L. Morrow, Dianne Kelley, Lee H. Smith, Vandey Danford, Mary M. Goodson, Jackie Parker, Mary Nell Knight, Henry M. Towles, Paul Trammell, Travis Dogter, Mary E. King, Carol Harrison, Evelyn Gaimore, Merline Chancellor, Annie Lois Austin, Gary Jowers, John B. Farris, Fletcher Meadows, Mary L. Kelley, Merle Orr, Zeatrice Johnson, Wilson Cole, Louise Thomas, Roy L. White, Vanil Nelson, James Ziglar, Dorothy Flowers, John F. Bulard.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Seward of LaGrange, Georgia, announce the birth of a son, James Michael, on April 16, 1971 at City County Hospital.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Farris of Elba, Alabama and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stewart of Perry, Florida.

The mother is the former Johnnie Sue Farris of Elba, Alabama.

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STUDENT OF THE MONTH

This month Terry Martin has been chosen as "Student of the Month." Terry is in the French Club, Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, and V. I. E. The hobbies of Terry include swimming, reading and golf.

Terry thinks she is a student of a great school, but feels school would be better if teachers and students would try to work together and cooperate with each other.

She feels a boy should be considerate and completely honest to a girl. Her pet peeve is a person who thinks he is better than others, and she feels a person should be judged as an individual.

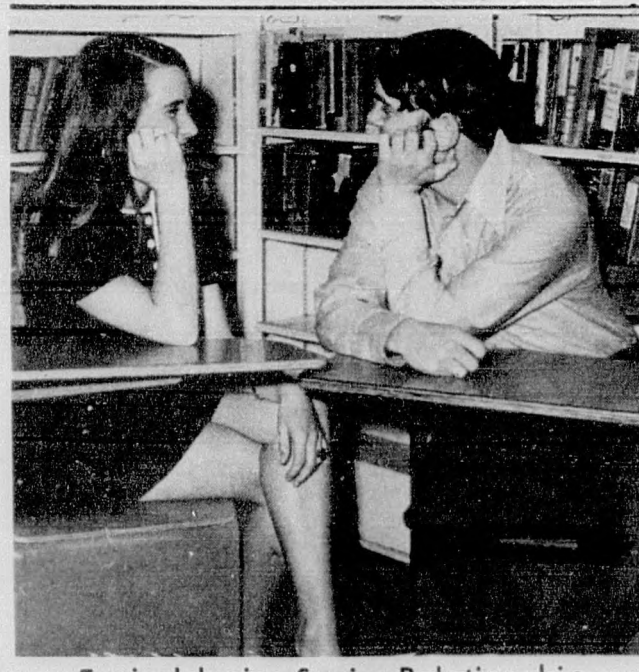
Terry plans to attend Auburn University this fall. We salute Terry in her accomplishments. Terry's parents are Willard E. (Shorty) Martin and Olive Ray Martin.



TERRY MARTIN

D.O. Student Of The Week

My name is Nadine Grant, a senior of Elba High School. I work with the D.O. Program and I am an employee of Kleinert's, Inc. of Elba. I presently work in the Production Department.



Typical Junior-Senior Relationship

SENIOR OF THE WEEK

We would like to congratulate Jackie Smart for being chosen "Senior of the Week."

Jackie led the cheers at the ballgames this past year as she was captain of the cheerleaders.

Jackie is also involved in the Student Council, the Beta Club, the Science Club, F.H.A., the French Club, the Pep Club and the E Club.

Jackie feels the school has improved in the past years, but wishes she could stay in the halls at recess during cold weather. Her pet peeve is two-faced people.

After school Jackie would like to teach handicapped people, preferably children. We at Elba High School feel that David is also included in her future. We're proud to have Jackie as one of our classmates. Jackie's father is Chief Jack Smart.



JACKIE SMART

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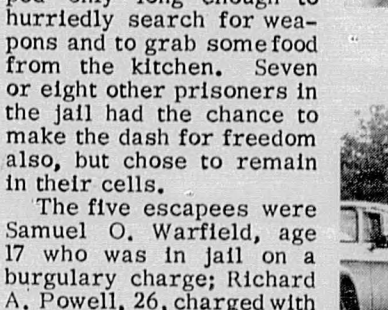
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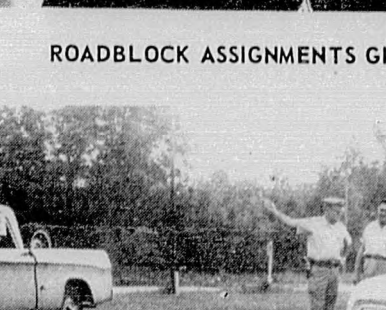
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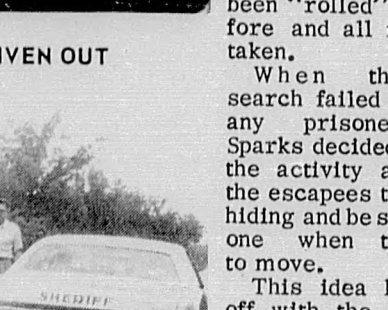
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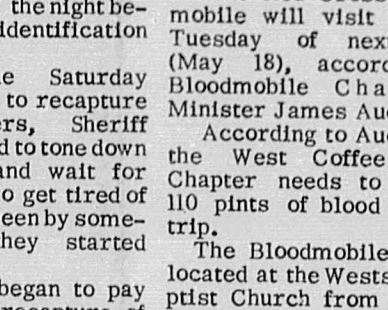
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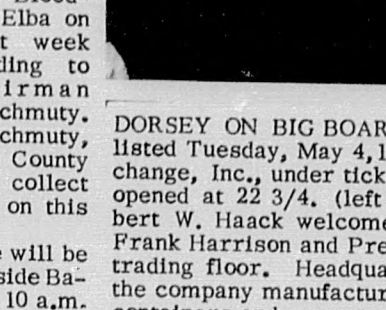
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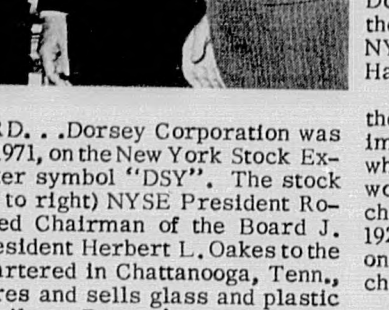
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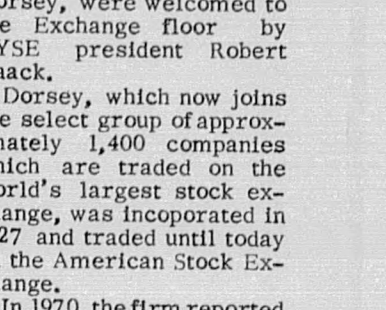
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FOUR ARE RECAPTURED

Prisoners Escape From County Jail

ESCAPEES NAMED

Five prisoners, one a trusty, overpowered the jailer at the Coffee County jail here Saturday and escaped out the back door and over the fence.

Sheriff Ralph Sparks stated the break came while the men were being fed their morning meal.

After being released from their cells by a trusty, Samuel O. Warfield, the five escapees locked jailer Dyess, his wife and another trusty in a cell and made their escape about 7:30 o'clock.

The five escapees stopped only long enough to hurriedly search for weapons and to grab some food from the kitchen. Seven or eight other prisoners in the jail had the chance to make the dash for freedom also, but chose to remain in their cells.

The five escapees were Samuel O. Warfield, age 17 who was in jail on a burglary charge; Richard A. Powell, 26, charged with burglary and grand larceny; Bobby Lee Hutchinson, age 29, presently appealing a 15 month sentence for bad checks and also being held on warrants from California; Clellus McKeen, age 28, a mental patient released from a northern hospital and arrested in Enterprise for molesting a seven year old child; and Walter L. Strickland, age 27, Negro, assault and murder.

Strickland had escaped on his record, escaping from the Enterprise City Jail several weeks ago.

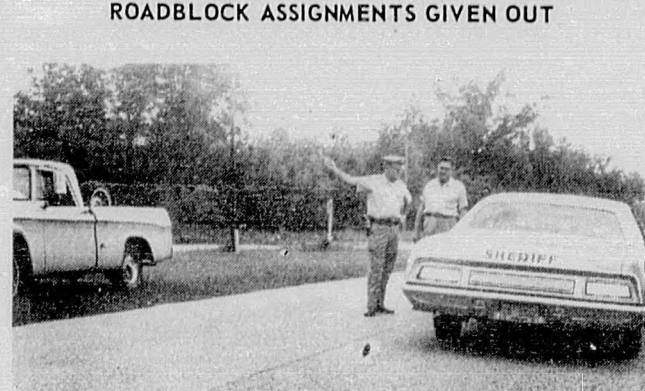
Almost all of the search was centered in the area south of Elba after various reports indicated some of the men had been seen headed in that direction.

Roadblocks were set up all around Elba, however, in case the men were being met by someone or stole an automobile and attempted to leave the area.

The Elba police, auxiliary police, rescue squad, sheriff's department and several units of the Alabama Department of Safety joined in the Saturday and Saturday night search.



ROADBLOCK ASSIGNMENTS GIVEN OUT



DEPUTY GRANTHAM CHECKS ROADBLOCKS

Postage Stamp
Prices Increase

Unless a federal judge frustrates the U. S. Postal Service, this is the last week a postcard will cost a nickel.

Postage rates are going up next Sunday. It will take eight cents to mail a letter, 12 cents if you send it by air. Second and third-class mailing rates will jump from 10 per cent to 20 per cent. Special delivery and registered mail costs also will go up.

And the price of a postage stamp will be six cents.

The May 16 boost comes under what the U. S. Postal Service claims is its authority to make temporary increases in postal rates pending a recommendation by the Postal Rate Commission.

Representative Douglas E. Easter reported Monday that the Curtis cut-off road (from the stockyards to Curtis) has been designated as a state highway and the state highway department will assume responsibility for maintaining it.

In the past the road has been kept up by Commissioner Plourmy Whitman, Commissioner of District 3.

The action is being challenged by a group of mail users, led by magazine and newspaper publishers, who seek to halt the increases until the rate commission has time to act.

The commission is to begin hearings next Monday on a permanent \$4.5 billion-a-year revenue proposal.

Law officers withdrew from the scene.

SEARCH IS THOROUGH

Clellus McKeen, age 28, was the first of the five escaped Coffee County prisoners to be recaptured. He was apprehended on Sunday morning while trying to hitchhike just out of the City limits on the Curtis "cut-off" just past Kleenex's, Elba policeman Roger Boothe made the capture after receiving a tip from a passing motorist.

Boothe observed that McKeen was wet, tired and cold and appeared relieved after failing to convince the policeman he was someone else and had been "rolled" the night before and all identification taken.

When the Saturday search failed to recapture any prisoners, Sheriff Sparks decided to tone down the activity and wait for the escapees to get tired of hiding and be seen by someone when they started to move.

This idea began to pay off with the recapture of McKeen and again got officers close Sunday afternoon when they were reported near the New Brockton School.

A search of the area failed to turn up the three men seen near the school but evidence showed someone had slept in the building Sunday night.

Officers continued to check out possible sightings throughout the day Monday and the trail really got hot Monday afternoon when the New Brockton police got a report of three men seen near the Damascus fire tower.

Deputy Sheriff Neil Grantham checked this out and the witness perfectly described Bob Hutchinson, one of the escapees and a well known "out" for the bloodhounds again.</